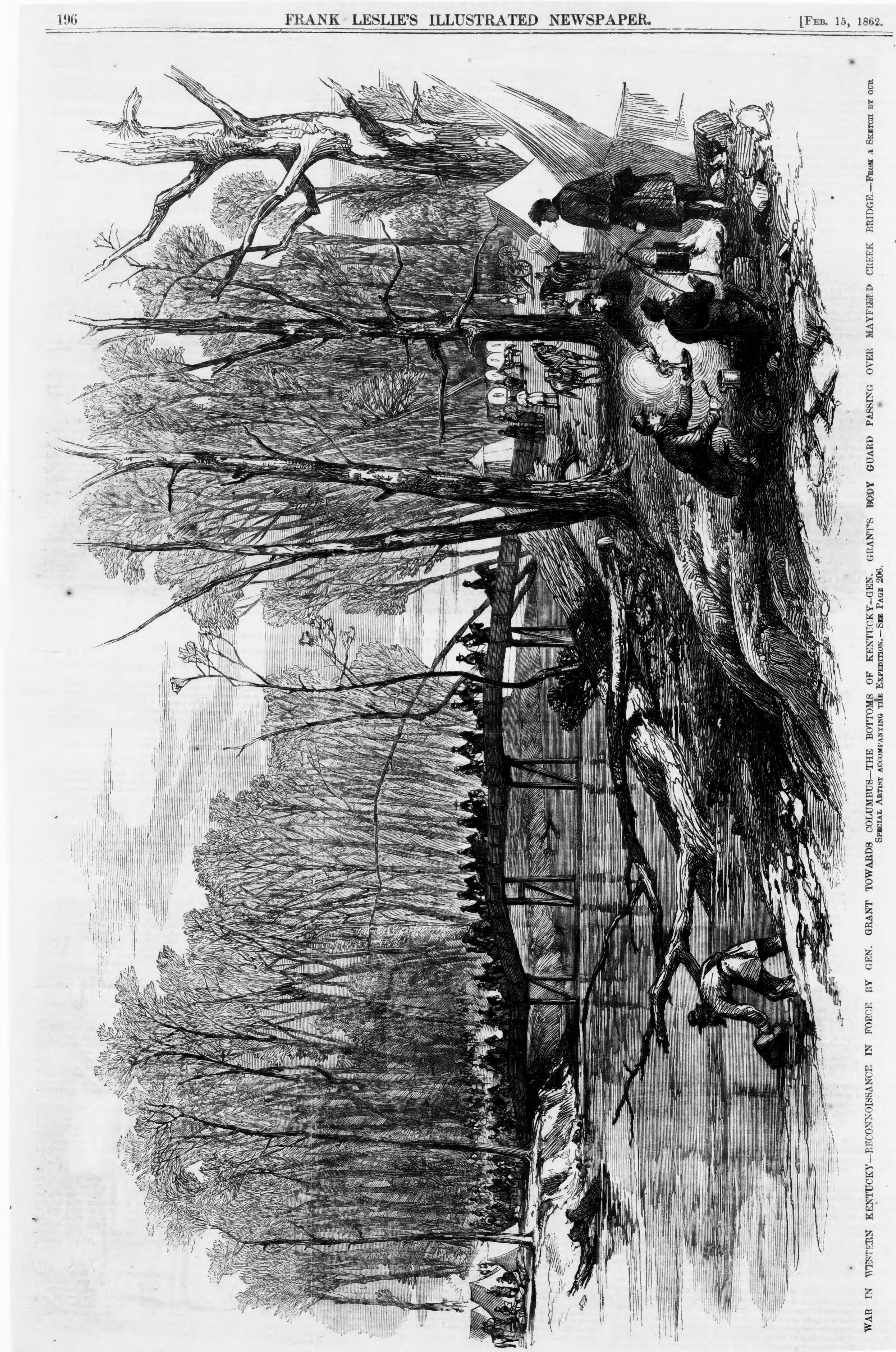


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was an important day for local history? It was because on that day John began -- unbeknownst to himself -- writing local history. I bought this lovely illustration from Frank Leslie's Newspaper a few years ago at a flea market in New York. I don't remember the exact cost, but I would guess it cost me one or two dollars at most.



I am having a wonderful time with these visual materials that I have recently begun to add to these pages. My Dupont pen is also making the writing of these pages a pleasure. Thank you Bob Scully, Jim Sullivan and Jim Wylie (it was a Christmas gift from them in 1982).